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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The comment period, for the Isabella Lake Dam Safety Modification Project draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) (EPA No. 20120073), has been extended 15 days from May 7th to May 22nd. The notice of comment period extension for the DEIS should be published no later than May 4, 2012.

The DEIS comment period extension was announced at public hearings held in the towns of Kernville and Lake Isabella, and the city of Bakersfield, California. The DEIS comment period extension was also advertised through local and regional media outlets. The DEIS and notice of the comment extension may also be viewed on the Corps website at www.spk.usace.army.mil.

Please refer all questions, mailed comments, and requests for copies to Mr. Tyler Stalker, Public Affairs Office at the above address, at (916) 557-5107, or by email: isabella@usace.army.mil.

Sincerely,

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